

Texas

The options for eligibility for the 2006-07 school year for a student from Texas are:

- ***The Texas Distinguished Achievement Diploma***
- ***A set of courses similar to the State Scholars Initiative.*** This program of study requires passing grades in the following:
 - Four years of English;
 - Three years of Math (including Algebra I and a higher level course such as Algebra II, Geometry, or Data Analysis and Statistics);
 - Three years of science (including at least two courses from biology, chemistry or physics);
 - Three years of social studies; and
 - One year of a foreign language.
- ***Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) courses and test scores.*** This program requires a minimum of two Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) courses in high school and a minimum passing score on the exams for those classes. Students must score 3 or higher on AP exams and 4 or higher on IB exams.
- ***Texas Recommended High School Program.*** This program requires:
 - Four years of English Language Arts;
 - Three years of mathematics (Algebra I, Algebra II, and Geometry);
 - Three years of lab science (Biology and two from Chemistry, Integrated Physics and Chemistry, and Physics);
 - Three and a half years of social studies;
 - Two years of language (other than English); and
 - Eight other credits including fine arts, speech, health, and technology applications.